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Subject: FW: Data Hub and API Manuscript - Need your assistance

FYI

From: Hoff, Dale
Sent: Wednesday, February 15, 2023 2:58 PM
To: Amar Singh [Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)]
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Hey Amar, good to hear from you. You assembled a great group of folks in SCD CD!

Unfortunately Amar, your request just isn't going to work. I have consulted our ethics officials and in order for you to work on this with our federal staff, you would need to have an approved Voluntary Service agreement which they informed us would not be approved anyway because there are federal staff available that can do the work. Therefore, it's kind of a non-starter. The other concern I would have is whether or not Sarang would be able to participate in manuscript development as it is unclear whether or not that work would be covered in the contract's statement of work. Finally, neither manuscripts are part of any committed StRAP products or deliverables and plenty of other priorities are popping up with the start of StRAP 4.

Norman did indicate to me that he has a draft of the Data Hub paper you reference in your email that he worked with Baskar on before he left the EPA and that he would continue to work on it as time allows. He wanted me to assure you that you would be given full attribution for your efforts.

Hope things are going well for you in your new job!

Dale

From: Amar Singh [Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)] >
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Dear Dale,

Hope you had a great weekend. Congratulations on being the acting Director of SCD CD!

The purpose of this email is to request you to work with a few SCD CD staff members in order to complete the Data Hub and API manuscript. I had started to write before I left EPA, but could not complete due to various conflicting priorities for me and the team. I will need some final data for tables and architecture diagrams for the API's. Delivery of API is a great time for us to get this publication out asap. The staff I need to interact with are ;

1. Sarang (Contractor) to run some queries to get data for the tables

2. Asif Rashid (Fed) to share the architecture diagram , some technical information and details on API's- review the manuscript

3. Norman Adkins (Fed) - To help with management of these tasks and review and contribute to the manuscript.

I will work with Bhaskar Sharma separately who contributed to this work significantly, without him we would not have delivered Data Hub. .

I would only need 2-3 hrs of their time in total - one hour to discuss/share the current manuscript and formulate the data tables and API information , then a couple of hours for them to review the manuscript for their feedback. I have copied this email to respective managers / COR's for their reference.

My goal is to get this manuscript out before the end of summer so your help is much appreciated. If you want to discuss this over the phone please feel free to call me at Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)

Looking forward to hearing from you.

Thank you,

Best Regards,

Amar

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